Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 01 Mar 2021 until 23:59 on Tuesday 02 Mar 2021

Forecast Issued on Monday 01 Mar 2021 at 03:03 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for mainly dry and settled conditions to continue. There is some uncertainty in the extent and heights of cloud from Wednesday onwards.

Headline for Monday 01 Mar 2021: Dry and sunny with light winds. Snow glare on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 01 Mar 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

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Weather: A cold start with a frost then a dry day with almost unbroken sunshine. Turning chilly again after dark with a frost developing again overnight.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 95%.

Visibility: Mainly excellent. A few fog patches in the glens this morning.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	8/10 S	9/11 S	8/11 S	5/7 S	5/7 SE	8/10 SE	9/11 SE
900	6/8 S	4/5 SE	4/6 SE	4/5 S	4/6 SE	4/5 E	5/6 SE
600	5/6 N	2/3 N	3/5 NW	2/4 SE	3/4 SE	3/4 E	3/5 E
300	2/5 SW	1/3 SW	2/4 W	2/5 NW	3/4 E	2/5 SW	2/4 SW
Glen	5/10 SW	3/8 S	5/10 SW	4/7 SW	3/5 W	3/4 S	3/6 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	-2/-7	-2/-6	-2/-6	-1/-4	-3/-7	-2/-6	-2/-6
900	2/-1	2/0	3/1	3/2	2/0	1/-0	2/-1
600	2/0	3/2	4/3	6/5	5/4	2/1	2/0
300	1/-1	2/1	7/6	9/8	5/4	2/0	0/-2
Glen	3/1	3/3	10/8	11/10	5/4	2/1	0/-1
Freezing Level*	900m	900m	900m	1000m	1000m	900m	800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
A strong UV glare off areas of lying snow, mainly above 900m. Good eye protection is recommended.

Forecast for Tuesday 02 Mar 2021
Weather: Cold start with patchy fog and frost. This soon clearing then another dry day with almost unbroken sunshine. Long clear spells in the evening with a frost developing.

Maximum wind: East or SE 5-10mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Over 95%.

Visibility: Mainly excellent. Some patchy low cloud in the morning, mainly on low slopes in the east.

Temperature: **Glens:** Minus 2 or 3C rising to 8 or 9C.
At 800m: Minus 1C rising to 4C during daytime.
Freezing level: 1000-1200m, but a frost down to glen level early and late.

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